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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 7, 2006, Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group I, namely, Claims 2, 3, 7-12 and 15, which are drawn to a method. Applicants reserve the right to file divisional applications to the non-elected claims. This election is made without traverse.

A one month extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith.

Accordingly, entry of the foregoing election and a prompt action on the merits are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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